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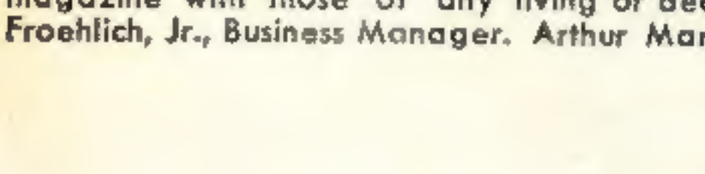

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KID COLT OUTLAW

by Stan Lee

IT'S KID COLT! I'D KNOW HIM ANYWHERE! BETTER GET YORE GUN, CLAY!

THIS'LL MAKE US FAMOUS, MARK!

JACK KELLER

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"THE HAWKINS GANG STRIKES!"

EVEN A DESPERATE, HUNTED OUTLAW MUST SLEEP SOMETIME! BUT EACH TIME HE SHUTS HIS EYES HE KNOWS HE IS IN DEADLY DANGER OF DISCOVERY! SO IT WAS WITH KID COLT THAT NIGHT ON THE YUMA RANGE... AND THIS IS THE WAY IT HAPPENED...

LAWMEN! WHAT DO YOU WANT?

YOU KNOW WHAT WE WANT, COLT! WE WERE OUT HUNTIN' FOR THE HAWKINS GANG, BUT WE RUN INTO YOU INSTEAD!

WE'RE TAKIN' YUH BACK WITH US! ON YOUR FEET, HOMBRE!

MOUNT UP! AND DON'T TRY NO TRICKS!

BUT WHAT ABOUT THE HAWKINS GANG?

WE CAN GO AFTER *THEM* ANYTIME! BUT IT AIN'T EVERY DAY A LAWMAN GETS HIS BRAND ON *KID COLT!*

RECKON I SHOULD BE FLATTERED! BUT I SORT OF WISH YUH DIDN'T THINK I WAS SO IMPORTANT!

SUDDENLY, BEFORE EITHER OF HIS CAPTORS COULD ACT, KID COLT HURLED HIMSELF LOW ON HIS MIGHTY STEED'S NECK AND, WITH A THUNDEROUS SHOUT, DARED TO RACE AWAY... UNDER THE MUZZLES OF THE ASTONISHED LAWMEN'S GUNS!

GO, STEEL--GO!

HE'S MAKIN' A RUN FOR IT!

CRACK!

HE WON'T GIT AWAY!

THE DEPUTY'S BULLET FOUND ITS MARK...IN THE SHOULDER OF THE DESPERATE OUTLAW... BUT *STILL* KID COLT SPED ON...

KEEP GOIN', STEEL BOY! IT'S NOW OR NEVER!

I'M SURE I WINGED 'IM! BUT HE'S STILL *GOIN!*

NEVER SAW A HOSS MOVE SO FAST! HE'LL BE OUT OF RIFLE RANGE IF WE DON'T GAIN ON 'IM! *MOVE!*

BUT EVEN THE MOST FEARLESS AND UNDAUNTED OF MEN CAN'T FIGHT AGAINST LOSS OF BLOOD... CAN'T BATTLE A BULLET WOUND...

I- I CAN'T SEE--EVERYTHING IS SPINNING!

GOT TO REST-- CAN'T GO ON!

NOT LONG AFTERWARDS...

IT'S ONLY A FLESH WOUND! HE'LL BE ALL RIGHT!

LUCKY YOU WINGED HIM! DON'T RECKON THERE'S A HOSS IN THESE PARTS COULDA CAUGHT UP WITH WITH THAT STALLION OF HIS!

WELL, LET'S GET HIM BACK TO TOWN!

LISTEN-- I THOUGHT I HEARD SOMETHING...

YOU HEERD *RIGHT*, LAWMAN! THEY TELL ME YOU BEEN LOOKIN' FER ME! I'M JEB HAWKINS!

THE HAWKINS GANG!

DROP YORE GUNS, GENTLE AND EASY!

LOOK! DOG MY CATS IF'N THAT AINT *KID COLT* THEY GOT WITH 'EM!

HE'S COMIN' TO! HE AINT HURT BAD!

GOOD! WE CAN *USE* 'IM! WE BEEN SHORT A MAN EVER SINCE WACO GOT CAUGHT BACK IN ABILINE!

WHA--? HAWKINS! JEB HAWKINS!

GLAD TO SEE YUH, KID! WE'LL FIX UP THAT ARM IN TIME FOR YUH TO JOIN US ON A LITTLE BANK JOB WE GOT PLANNED!

WHA--WHAT ABOUT *US!*

WE AINT FORGETTIN' ABOUT *YOU!* GIT OFF THEM HOSSES, *PRONTO!* AND DROP THEM GUNS... AND YORE CANTEENS!

WHAT ARE YUH GONNA *DO* WITH 'EM, HAWKINS?

RELAX, KID! THE BOSS'LL HANDLE IT!

NOW START WALKIN'! THE NEAREST TOWN IS ONLY 35 MILES AWAY!

BUT WITHOUT WATER! ON FOOT! WE WON'T MAKE IT OVER THE DESERT!

NOW AINT THAT A SHAME! HAW HAW HAW!

YUH *HEERD* THE BOSS! *WALK!*

YUH CAN'T *DO* IT, HAWKINS! IT'S *MURDER!*

YOU *LOCO*, KID? THEY WUZ ABOUT TO SLAP YUH BEHIND BARS! WHAT DO *YOU* CARE? *I'LL* DO THE DECIDIN' HERE!

THOUGH HIS BODY WAS RACKED BY THE PAIN OF HIS WOUND, THE KID, WITH HIS GOOD ARM, MADE THE KIND OF LIGHTNING DRAW THEY TALKED ABOUT IN WHISPERS OUT WEST!

NO MURDERIN' RENEGADE GIVES ORDERS WHILE I CAN STILL DRAW A GUN! PICK UP. YOUR CANTEENS, LAWMEN, AND MOUNT YOUR HOSSES! JUST LEAVE THOSE IRONS BE!

I'LL *GIT* YUH FOR THIS, KID! YORE STILL WEAK! IT'S ONLY A MATTER OF MINUTES AFORE YUH BLACK OUT AGIN'!

HAWKINS IS RIGHT! MUH HAND'S BEGINNIN' TO SHAKE! IF I SIDE WITH THE LAWMEN, IT'S PRISON FOR ME... I CAN'T DEFEND MUHSELF FOR LONG! BUT IF I BACK HAWKINS, I'LL BE A MURDERER, LIKE *HIM!*

PICK UP YORE IRONS, DEPUTIES! JAIL IS BETTER THAN BEIN' A KILLER!

NOW'S OUR CHANCE! HE'S BLACKIN' OUT! *DRAW*, BOYS!

BEFORE LOSING CONSCIOUSNESS AGAIN, KID COLT MANAGED TO GET OFF ONE LAST SHOT... AND THE GUN LEPT OUT OF JEB HAWKINS' HAND AS THOUGH IT WERE A LIVE THING!

MAKE EVERY SHOT COUNT, MARK!

GOTCHA, CLAY!

ARMED AGAIN, AND ON AN EQUAL FOOTING WITH THE TWO REMAINING OWLHOOTS, THE TWO DEPUTIES, WITH STEADY HANDS AND SHARP EYES DISARMED THEIR FOES IN FOUR FLEETING SECONDS!

MUH ARM!

DON'T SHOOT! I GIVE UP! DON'T SHOOT!

IT MIGHT HAVE BEEN MINUTES OR HOURS LATER, WHEN KID COLT AWOKE! HIS ARM WAS BANDAGED AND THE FEVER WAS GONE! HE LOOKED AROUND WITH SINKING HEART... SEEKING THE SIGHT OF THE GREY STONE WALLS AND IRON BARS... BUT SAW INSTEAD...

I-I'M IN THE OPEN! UNDER THE SKY! THERE'S A NOTE ON MY SHIRT!

One favor deserves another, kid! The border is 80 miles south! Your canteen is full!
Good Luck

LOOKS LIKE I'LL LIVE TO SEE ANOTHER SUNRISE... AND TO A HUNTED MAN, THAT'S A *LOT* TO BE THANKFUL FOR!

THE END

HE TURNED AND HEADED SOUTH! THE ACHE IN HIS ARM EASED BY THE KNOWLEDGE THAT IN SOME SMALL WAY HE HAD REPAID THE DEBT WHICH SOCIETY CLAIMED HE OWED... THE DEBT WHICH COULD NEVER BE FULLY REPAID AS LONG AS THE BRAND OF THE OUTLAW WAS UPON HIM!

THE CIRCUS MAN

"DAD" Morgan was disconsolate. He was a fair, freedom-loving man, and it hurt him to think that his angry action had deprived the kids of King City of a good time. He knew that his hostility to the circus had a strong, personal basis that he could not overcome. He had sworn that no traveling carnival would ever set up a Big Tent in his town, and he meant to keep that promise.

Everyone said Morgan had been born under a lucky star. Within a short time, he had a lovely wife and a bright and eager young boy. Lex was like his father in many ways. He was born to the saddle and could rope like a rodeo professional before he was ten years old. At roundup time, he rode with the rest of the hands and nobody ever claimed that the owner's son was a slacker when hard work was heaped upon him. Understandably, he was Dad's pride and joy.

Understandably, too, he was his father's greatest disappointment. Tom Morgan had always assumed that his son would remain on the ranch when he grew up, and that Lex would eventually take over the reins of authority when his father retired. Unfortunately, he never consulted Lex to see if he shared Dad's dreams of the future.

Lex actually nourished dreams of his own. He didn't feel that he was deserting Dad, since the ranch had a fine tophand in Russ Scott and a large and loyal group of hands. One day, he declared his intentions to Dad.

"I know that you've always yearned for the day I'd grow up and be able to run the ranch side-by-side with you. I know you've hoped I'd settle down and raise a family here, too. Well, I love the ranch and I love you for all you've done for me. But I long for another kind of life. I'd like to leave the ranch soon and pursue my own career."

Dad's face darkened perceptibly. "Haven't I made you happy here, Lex?" he asked. "I've tried to teach you all I knew about ranching, and I thought you took to it as I had. Now, I see that I was wrong."

"I want to become a circus performer," Lex said simply. "There may not be any logic to it, but it's something I've dreamed of doing ever since I saw my first carnival in King City. I know that I could be rich and respected here, but I'm anxious to start working for a traveling tent show. I hope you can forgive me and forget your disappointment."

"Forgive and forget a lifetime's hope," Dad answered bitterly, "*Never!* From the moment you were born I planned your future. I made sure you had the best training and teachers. What more could one want of a parent? And now you want to clear out for good and join a circus!" He shook his head sadly.

"Dad, try to understand," Lex pleaded. "It was the same way with you. You chose your own career. A child can only ask a parent for one thing . . . *understanding*. Warmth and wealth mean nothing if a parent doesn't assist his child in his chosen career. Your intentions were the best for me, but you should have consulted me. Now, I'm afraid I'll have to strike out on my own."

Some harsh words were exchanged, and then Lex packed up his bags and left the ranch for good. Dad never really recovered from his first pained shock. For a long time, he just brooded about his loss. He spent less and less time talking to townspeople and relied more and more on tophand Russ Scott.

He'd only come out of his shell when some town council-

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THE END OF THE DAKOTA KID!

I SAID GET AWAY FROM THAT TILL, AND I MEANT IT!

OH...HH!

HE STARTED HIS CRIME CAREER IN A SMALL WAY, BUT EVEN THAT VERY FIRST HOLDUP WAS ENOUGH TO BRAND THE **DAKOTA KID** AS A WANTED MAN... AND THE WHEELS OF JUSTICE BEGAN TO TURN, TO BRING THE KID TO THE ONLY END POSSIBLE!

JOE SINNOTT

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...FORTY, FIFTY... SIXTY-TWO DOLLARS! THAT AIN'T HALF BAD FOR A LITTLE SHOP...

THIS IS JUST THE BEGINNING! I'M GOIN' AFTER THE BIG MONEY! I'M GONNA MAKE MYSELF THE BIGGEST OWLHOOT IN THE WHOLE WEST!

WITHIN SIX MONTHS, THE DAKOTA KID WAS MAKING GOOD HIS BOAST...

BRING THIS THING TO A HALT... PRONTO!

WHOA THAR... STEADY!

THIS MONEY, YOUNG FELLA... IT'S TO BUILD A NEW ORPHANAGE IN CRATER CITY!

TELL THE KIDS I'M SORRY! THAT MY HEART REALLY BLEEDS FOR 'EM! HA, HA, HA, HA!

FOR THE REMAINDER OF THE YEAR, THE KID STRUCK AGAIN AND AGAIN...

WHEN I SAY STAY PUT, I MEAN IT!

WE FA

WELLS FARGO

AND SO, EACH MONTH, THE PRICE ON THE KID'S HEAD WENT HIGHER AND HIGHER...

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WOULD YOU SAY HE WAS NERVOUS WHEN HE HELD UP YOUR BANK?

NOT THE DAKOTA KID, SHERIFF! HE CAME IN HERE JUST LIKE HE OWNED THE PLACE!

AND HE'S FAST WITH THAT GUN, MARSHAL! YOU REMEMBER THAT, IF YOU EVER CATCH UP WITH HIM!

THANKS... I'LL REMEMBER...

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MORE WEEKS PASSED AND THEN...

THERE'S A LAWMAN ON MY TRAIL! I'M SURE OF IT NOW! THAT MAKES ME REAL BIG! ONLY BIG OWLHOOTS GET A PRIVATE LAWMAN ALL THEIR OWN!

RECKON I MAY AS WELL INTRODUCE MYSELF...

SPLANNNG!

HA, HA, HA, HA! HAW, HAW, HAW!

THE LAUGHTER TRAILED OFF, BECAME SILENT! A SHORT DISTANCE OFF, THE MARSHAL FOUND THE NOTE NAILED TO THE TRUNK OF A YOUNG SAPLING...

GO HOME, LAWMAN NEXT TIME I WON'T MISS! THE DAKOTA KID

DID HE JUMP WHEN MY SHOT RIPPED BY! RECKON HE'S MAKIN' TRACKS BACK LIKE A SCARED RABBIT!

BUT AS THE WEEKS CONTINUED TO PASS, A CONSTANT SOUND NEVER FAILED TO INTERRUPT HIS MORE PEACE-FUL MOMENTS...

HOOFBEATS! HE'S STILL AFTER ME! I SHOULDA FINISHED HIM OFF THAT VERY FIRST DAY...ONLY IT AIN'T TOO LATE YET!

THIS TIME I'M GONNA LET HIM CATCH UP, BUT NOT YET! THERE'S A RAVINE UP AHEAD AND THE TRAIL NARROWS! THAT'S THE PERFECT PLACE!

DOWN WE GO, BOY! EASY DOES IT NOW! WE WANNA KEEP IT REAL QUIET!

HE'LL HAVE TO COME BY THIS WAY, AND WITH HIM UP THERE AN' ME DOWN HERE, IT'S GONNA MAKE THINGS SIMPLE! HE'LL STAND OUT AS BIG AS A TREE AGAINST THE SKY!

SLOWLY, CAUTIOUSLY THE MARSHAL CAME FORWARD! THEN HE PAUSED, EVERY INSTINCT KEENLY ALERT...

IT COULD BE AN AMBUSH... AND YET...

HE STARTED UP AGAIN! I CAN HEAR THE HOOFBEATS! THEY'RE REAL CLOSE BY! HERE THEY COME...

EACH SECOND BROUGHT THE HOOFBEATS CLOSER! NOW THEY WERE DIRECTLY ABOVE HIM! QUICKLY HE BRACED HIMSELF, GUNS COCKED AND THEN...

NO! IT'S IMPOSSIBLE!

THE LAWMAN! HE AIN'T THERE!

NO, KID! I'M HERE, RIGHT BEHIND YOU!

HUH?

I FIGURED ON AN AMBUSH! INSTINCTS MAYBE... ANYWAY, I SENT MY HORSE ON ALONE AND CIRCLED AROUND! IT'S ALL OVER, KID! DROP YOUR IRONS WHERE YOU STAND!

THE KID SPUN FAST, THE BIG BLACKENED BARRELS OF HIS COLTS SWINGING IN A DEADLY ARC... ONLY THE MARSHAL WAS A SPLIT-SECOND FASTER!

IT'S EITHER YOU OR ME! YOU GIVE ME NO CHOICE!

OH-HH!

ALL THAT REMAINED OF *THE DAKOTA KID* WAS A LONELY MARKER ON BOOT-HILL, AND NOT A SINGLE MOURNER WEPT OVER HIS GRAVE...

THE DAKOTA-KID

VIOLENTLY HE LIVED... VIOLENTLY HE DIED!

THE END

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IT WAS A PECULIAR SITUATION SHERIFF FRANK CODY FOUND HIMSELF IN! HE HAD VICIOUS BADMAN BROD BODIN TRAPPED IN THE HILLS OUTSIDE OF THE TOWN OF COUGAR'S BLUFF, AND YET IT WAS CODY HIMSELF WHO HAD...

HIS BACK TO THE WALL!

STOP BODIN! DON'T MAKE ME SHOOT!

CRACK!

JACK KELLER

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IF I COULD JUST WING HIM! BUT US GOIN' ALONG LIKE THIS, I *MIGHT* HURT HIM REAL BAD!

IF IT HAD BEEN ANYONE OTHER THAN BROD BODIN THE SHERIFF WAS AFTER, THE CHASE WOULD'VE BEEN OVER LONG AGO!

THERE'D BEEN ENOUGH WITNESSES WHO SAW BROD BODIN BACK OUT OF THE WELLS-FARGO EXPRESS OFFICE WITH HIS COLT .45 IN ONE HAND AND A SACK OF GOLD IN ANOTHER! SO THE SHERIFF WOULD'VE BEEN JUSTIFIED IN SHOOTING HIM, BUT SOMETHING STAYED FRANK CODY'S HAND...

WHEN THE OUTLAW MADE IT TO THE CABIN AND STARTED FIRING, THERE WAS NO DOUBT OF HIS INTENTION! HIS AIM WAS DEADLY...

BODIN, I'M TRYIN' HARD **NOT** TO KILL YOU! I'M TRYIN' TO REMEMBER YOU WERE ONCE MY CLOSEST FRIEND!

I'VE ALREADY FORGOT THAT, CODY! AS LONG AS YOU'VE GOT THAT STAR ON YOUR SHIRT, I'M GOIN TO GET YUH!

BROD BODIN'S NO GOOD, BUT THAT'S NOT HOW JULIE FEELS ABOUT HIM! IT'S CLEAR ENOUGH SHE'S IN LOVE WITH HIM, WOULD RATHER HAVE BROD THAN ME! I COULD TURN THE TABLES ON HIM ALL RIGHT!

IF I FINISH OFF BODIN, JULIE'LL HATE ME! BUT I GOT MY SWORN DUTY TO DO, TOO! WHY D WE BOTH HAVE TO FALL IN LOVE WITH THE ***SAME*** GIRL?

DON'T PLAY POSSUM WITH ME, CODY! I KNOW RIGHT WHERE YOU ARE!

FRANK CODY'S BACK WAS TRULY AGAINST THE WALL! IF HE MOVED FROM BEHIND THAT BOULDER, BODIN WOULD SURELY NAIL HIM! AND IF HE GOT BODIN, THE SHERIFF WAS SURE THE ONE GIRL THAT MATTERED TO HIM WOULD NEVER FORGIVE HIM...

THE LAWMAN STEPPED BACK A FEW YARDS' HIS KEEN EYES TRAVELED TO THE ROCKS AND BOULDERS ON THE CLIFF-LIKE HILL ABOVE THE CABIN...

BODIN, I'M TRYIN' TO GIVE YOU A CHANCE TO LIVE! COME OUT OF THAT CABIN WITH YOUR HANDS HIGH! LET ME TAKE YOU IN... WELL, WHAT'S YOUR ANSWER?

HERE'S MY ANSWER, CODY!

CRACK

YEAH! I CAN GET HIM, BUT IT'S RISKY!

IF I CAN START A ROCKSLIDE, I MIGHT BE ABLE TO DAMAGE THE CABIN ENOUGH TO DRIVE HIM OUT INTO THE OPEN! BUT IF THOSE BIG BOULDERS UP THERE EVER START ROLLIN', IT'S GOOD-BYE BODIN!

WHAT IS CODY LOOKIN' AT UP OVER THIS CABIN? HUH... MEBBE HE'S TRYIN' TO FIGGER SOME WAY OF GETTIN' AROUND!

I'VE SHOT IT OUT WITH SOME MEAN CUSTOMERS IN MY TIME, BUT I'VE NEVER FIRED A SHOT THAT MEANT AS MUCH TO ME AS ***THIS*** ONE IS GOIN' TO!

SHERIFF FRANK CODY'S HAND WAS STEADY... HE TOOK CAREFUL AIM...

HE FIRED A SECOND SHOT INTO THE SAME SPOT! THE CHAIN REACTION STARTED WITH A DISLODGED STONE, A FREED ROCK, A LARGER ROCK...

ROCKS HIT OTHER ROCKS! THE SLIDE GAINED MOMENTUM, SPREAD...

WHAT WAS HE SHOOTIN' AT UP THERE? W...WHAT'S THAT RUMBLIN' NOISE?

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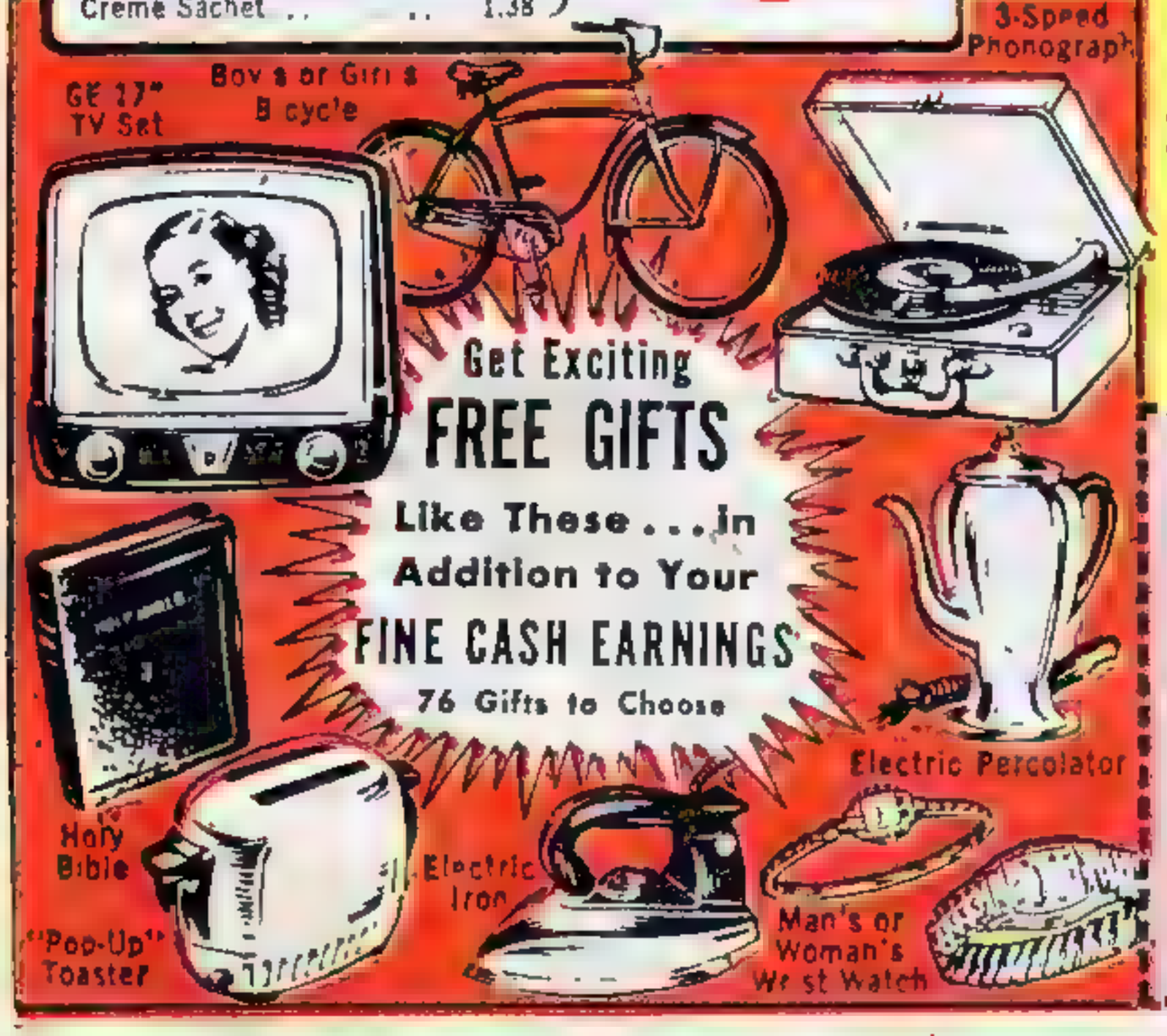

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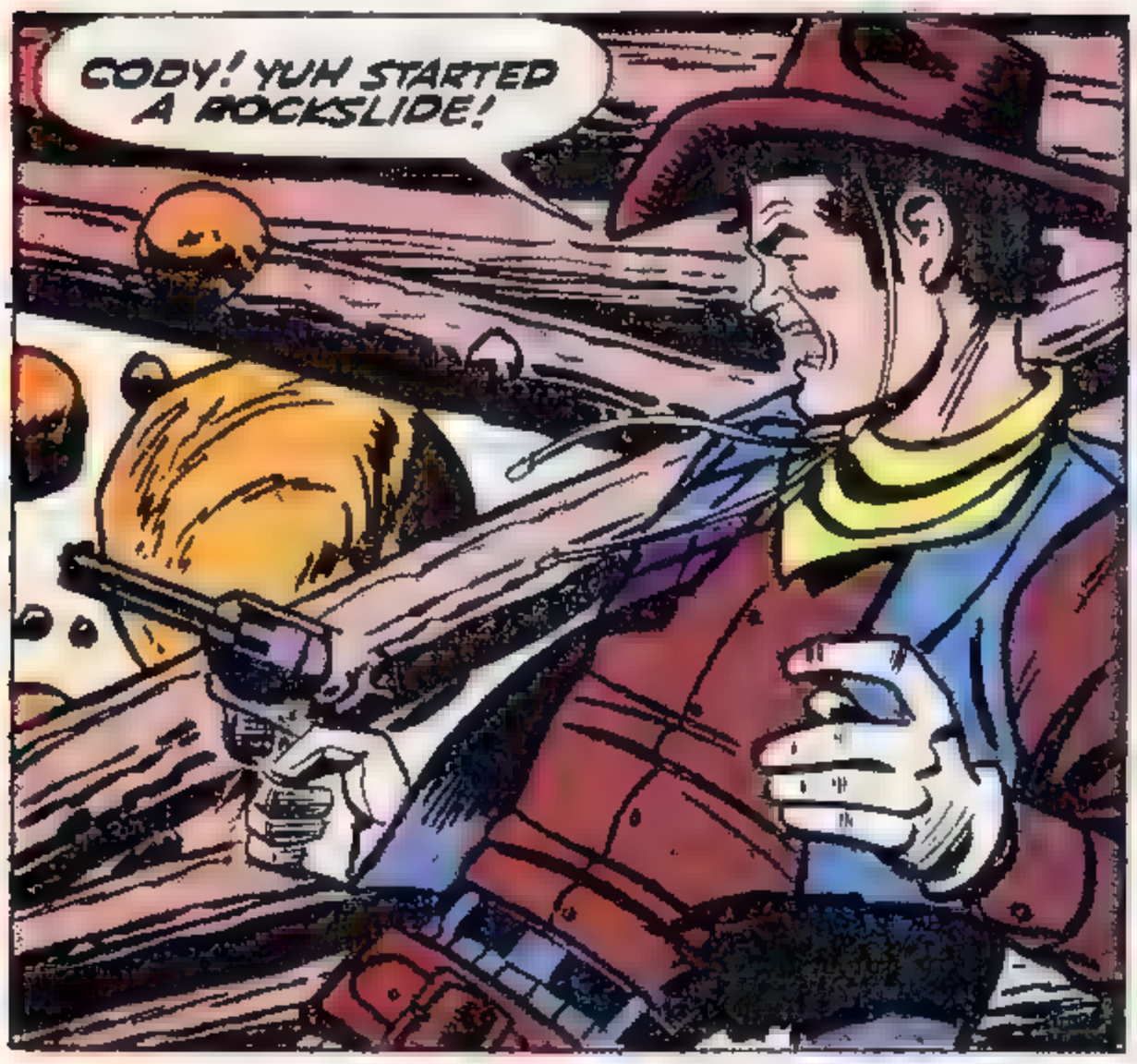
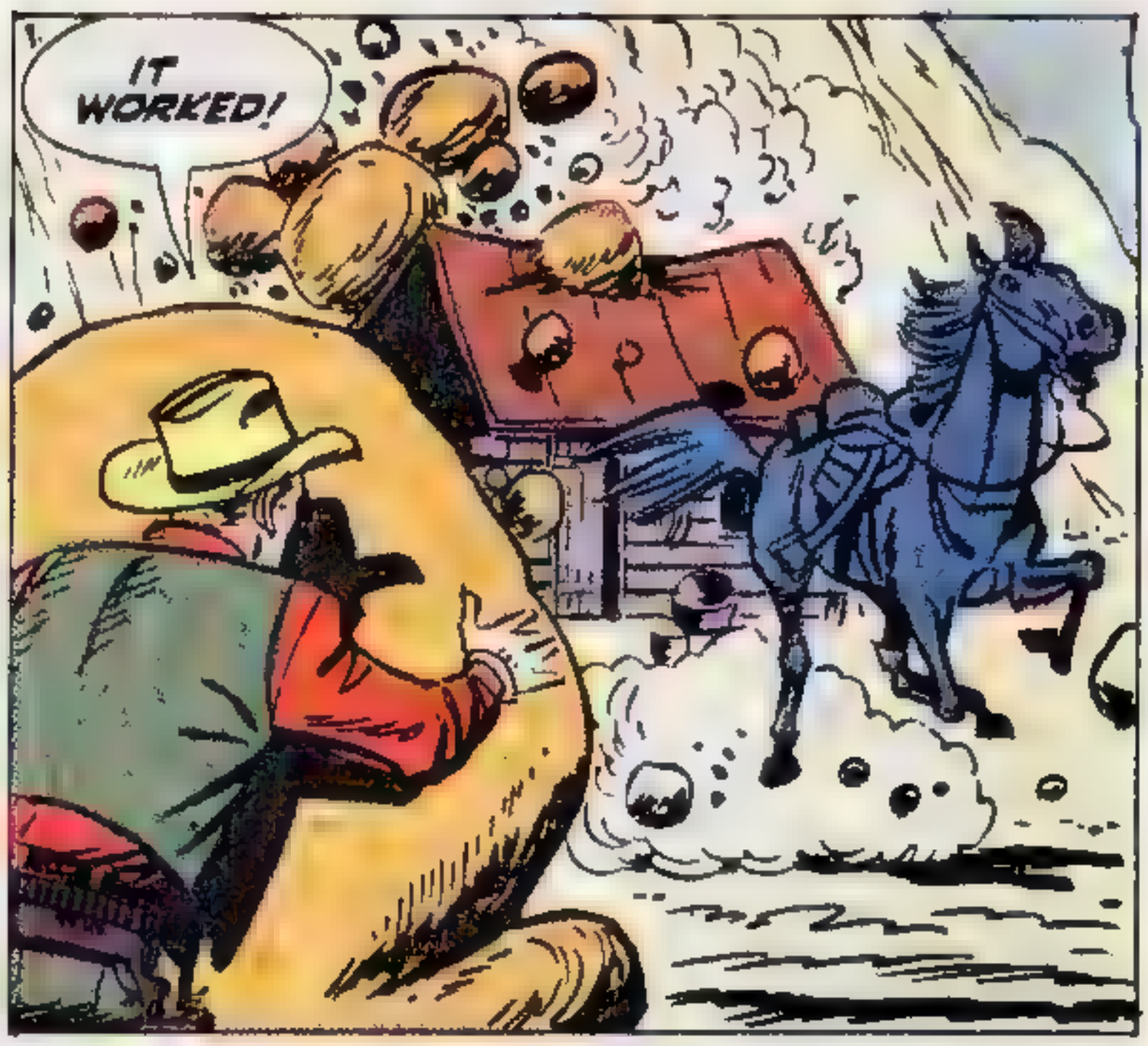
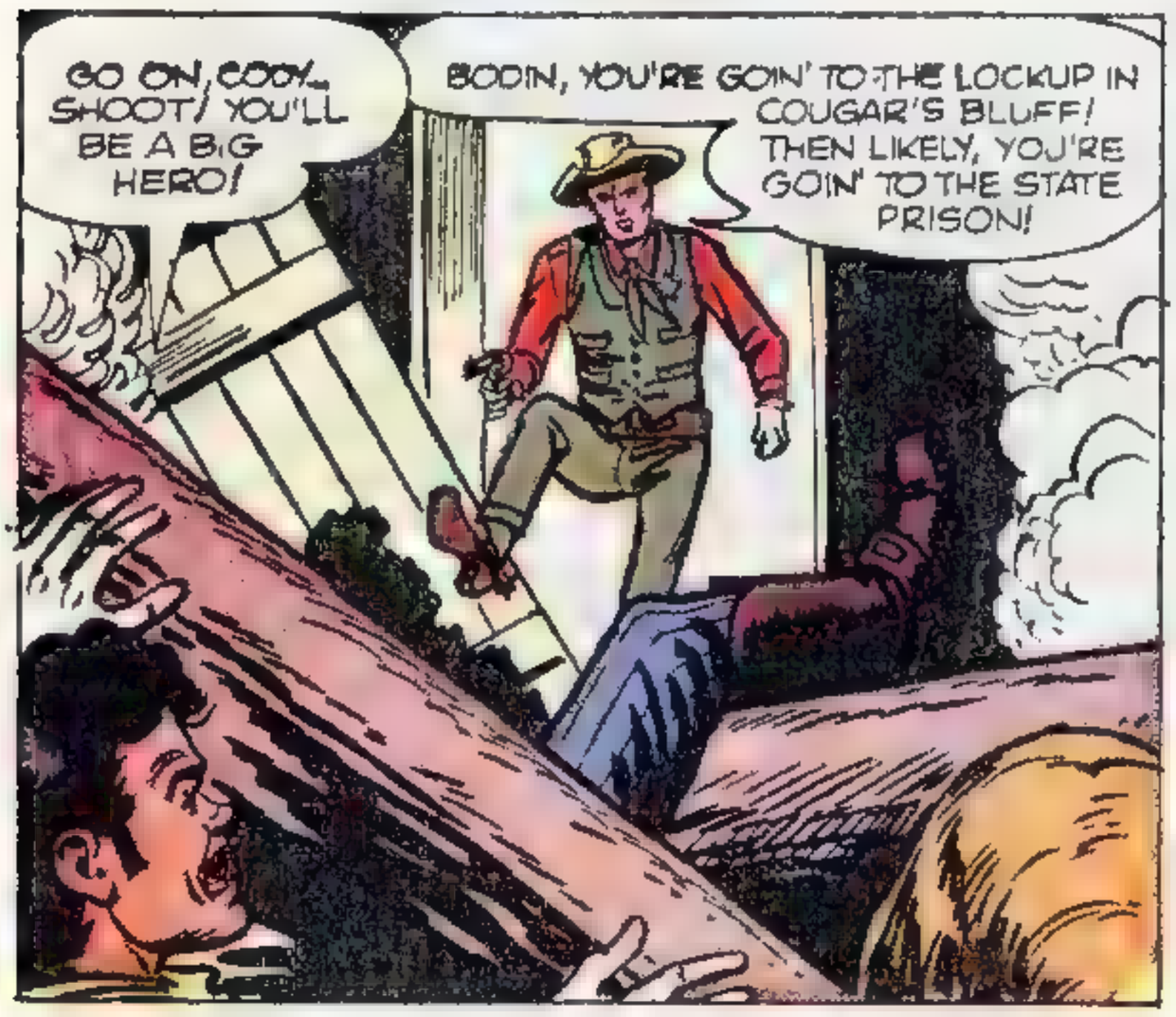


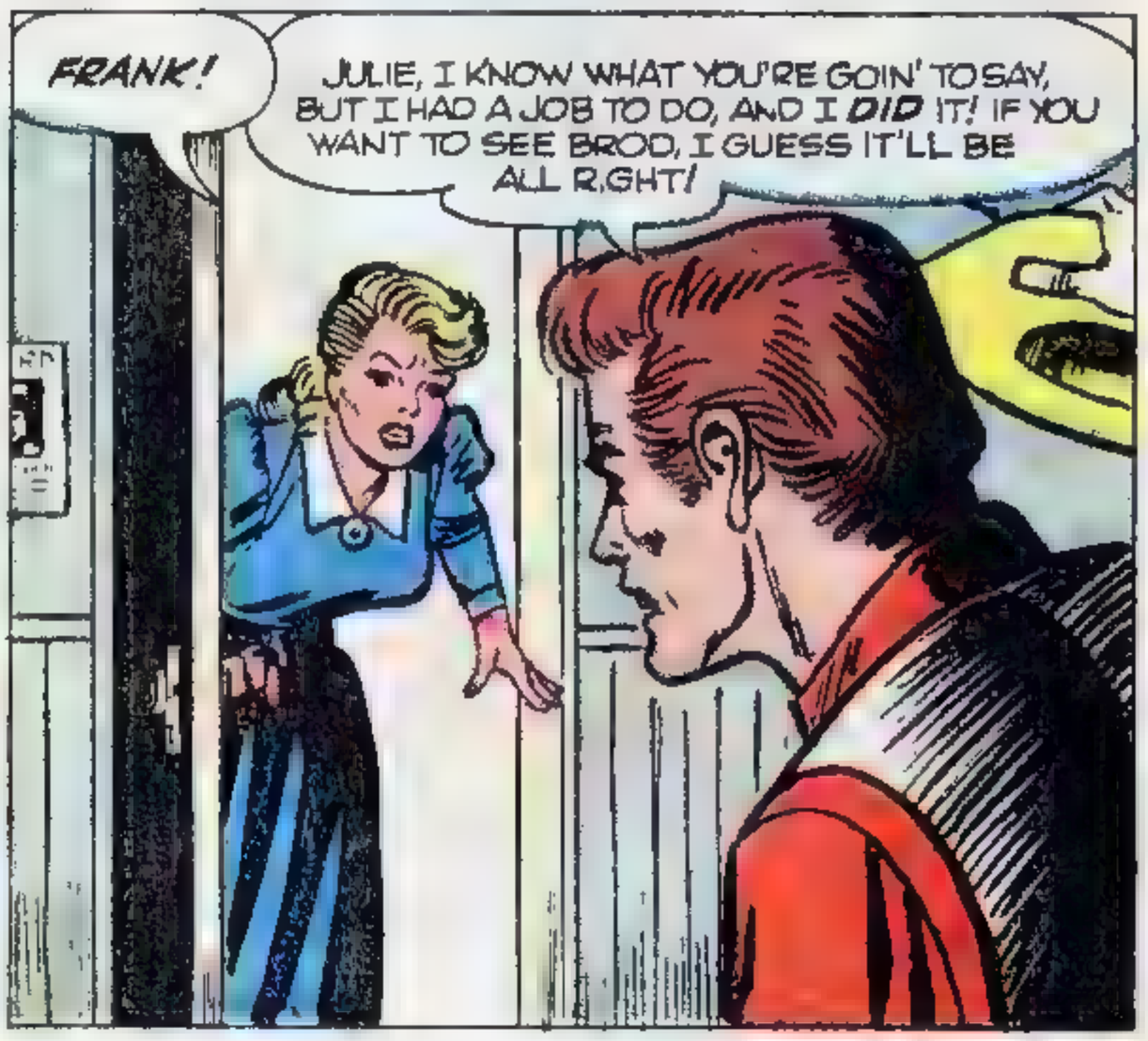
NEAR THE TOP OF THE HILL, A GREAT BOULDER TEETERED, BUT HELD!

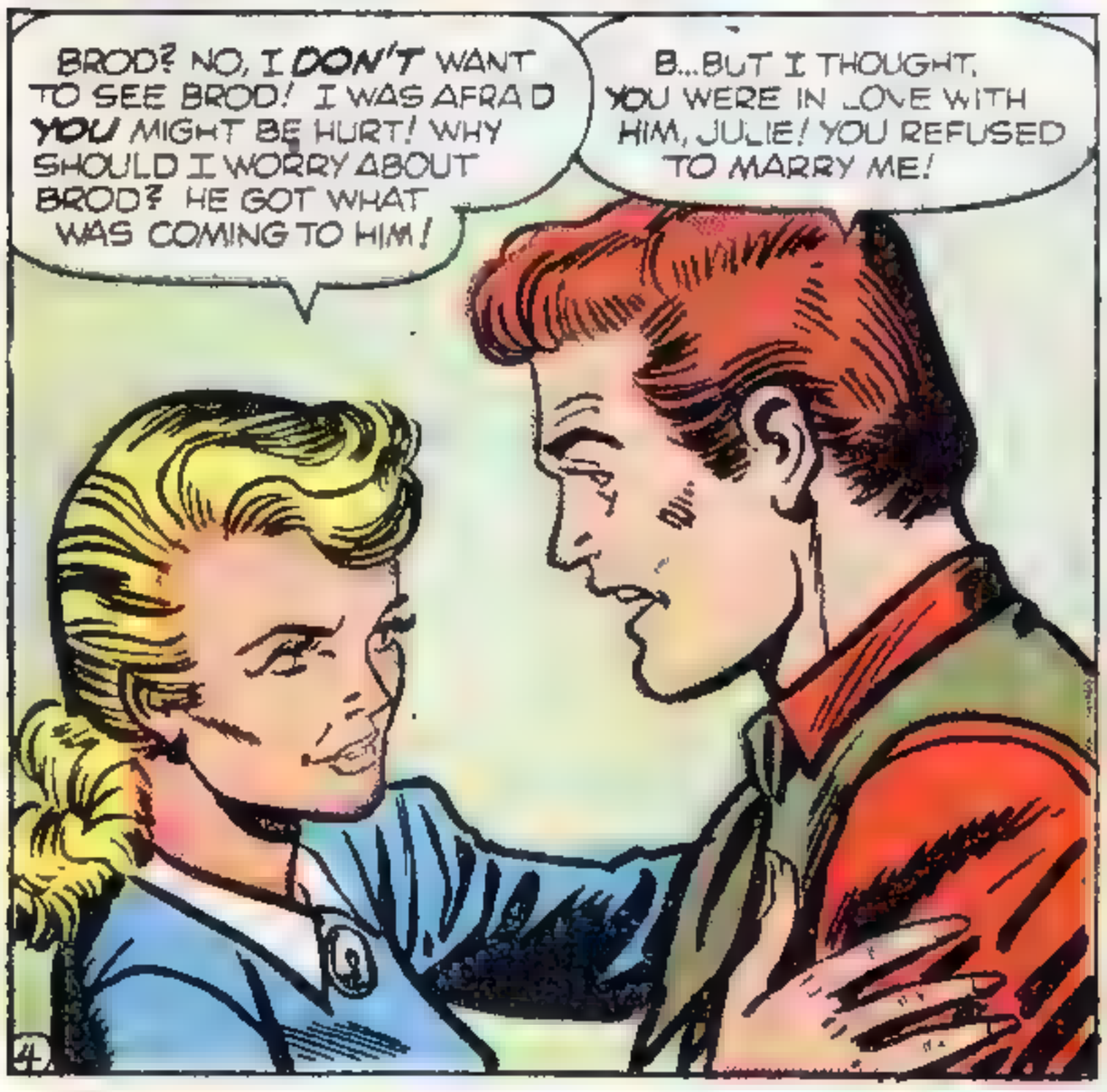


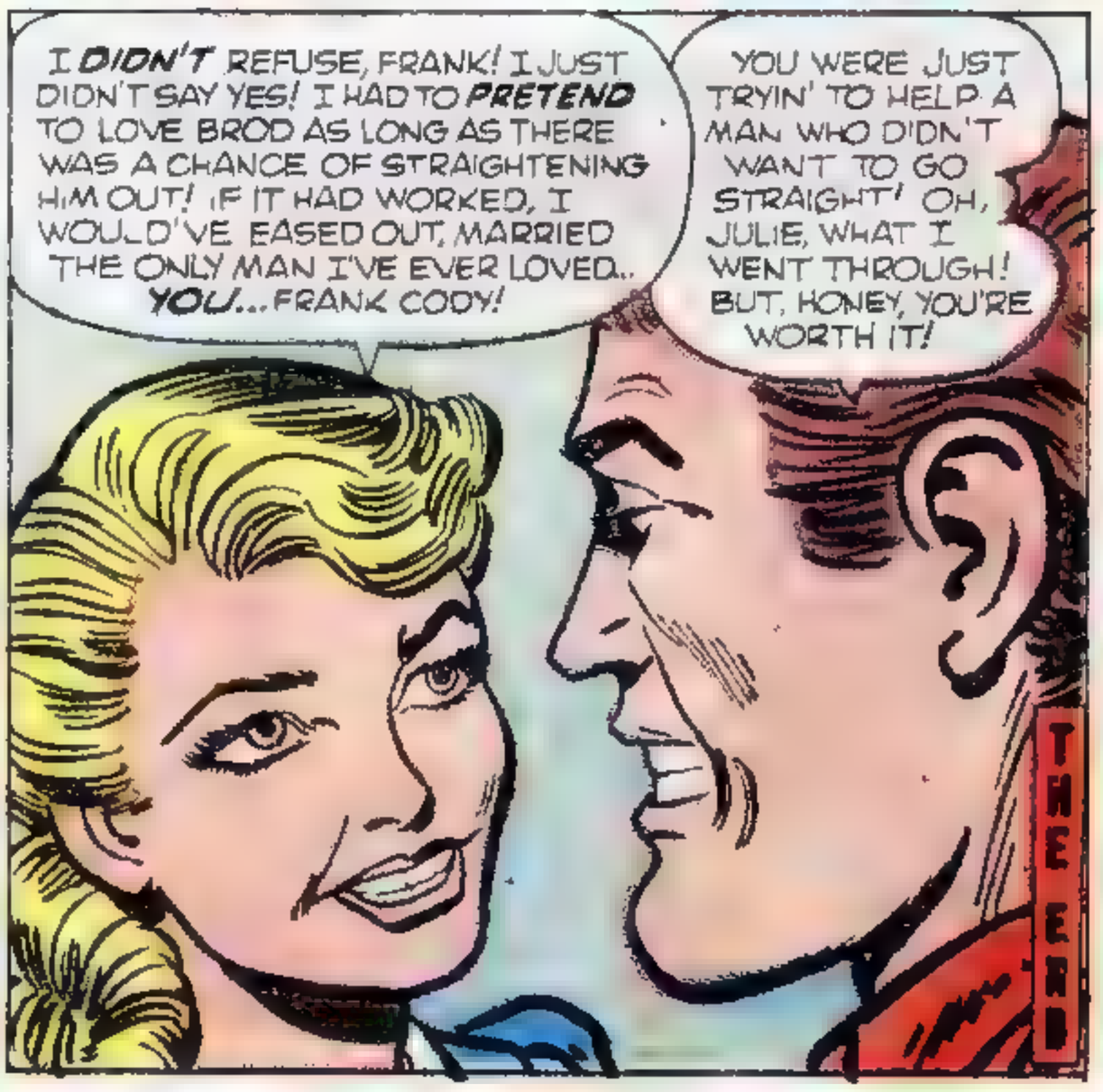
WHEN THE SLIDE STOPPED, SHERIFF CODY CLIMBED TO THE CABIN, KICKED OPEN THE DOOR! HE FOUND BODIN UNHURT, BUT HELPLESS...


GO ON, CODY... SHOOT! YOU'LL BE A BIG HERO!
BODIN, YOU'RE GOIN' TO THE LOCKUP IN COUGAR'S BLUFF! THEN LIKELY, YOU'RE GOIN' TO THE STATE PRISON!

SHERIFF CODY HAD HARDLY GOTTEN HIS PRISONER BEHIND BARS AND SAT DOWN TO REST, WHEN JULIE HAYES BURST IN...




BROD? NO, I DON'T WANT TO SEE BROD! I WAS AFRAID YOU MIGHT BE HURT! WHY SHOULD I WORRY ABOUT BROD? HE GOT WHAT WAS COMING TO HIM!
B...BUT I THOUGHT, YOU WERE IN LOVE WITH HIM, JULIE! YOU REFUSED TO MARRY ME!


I DIDN'T REFUSE, FRANK! I JUST DIDN'T SAY YES! I HAD TO PRETEND TO LOVE BROD AS LONG AS THERE WAS A CHANCE OF STRAIGHTENING HIM OUT! IF IT HAD WORKED, I WOULD'VE EASED OUT, MARRIED THE ONLY MAN I'VE EVER LOVED.. YOU... FRANK CODY!
YOU WERE JUST TRYIN' TO HELP A MAN WHO DIDN'T WANT TO GO STRAIGHT! OH, JULIE, WHAT I WENT THROUGH! BUT, HONEY, YOU'RE WORTH IT!
THE END

YOU CAN TAKE JUST SO MUCH FROM A GUY...THEN, EVEN IF HE'S BIGGER'N YOU, THE TIME COMES WHEN YOU GET FED UP! THAT'S WHEN THE FUR STARTS FLYING! THAT'S HOW IT WAS WITH JEB BANCROFT WHEN HE HAD A BELLYFUL OF THE...

WRANGLER

BOYS, THIS IS JEB BANCROFT! THERE AIN'T NO USE IN MY TELLIN' YUH ALL THEIR NAMES YOU WOULDN'T REMEMBER 'EM! BUT I RECKON YUH'LL GIT TO KNOW 'EM SOON ENOUGH!

HOWDY, GENTS!

THE LEAN, LANKY COWPOKE GRINNED AMIABLY AT HIS NEW BUNKHOUSE MATES AS FOREMAN JAKE DIXON INTRODUCED HIM TO THE HANDS AT **BIG TRIANGLE-K RANCH...**

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WHICH WAS MATT WILSON'S BUNK? JEB CAN TAKE THAT ONE!

SEEMS TO ME ANYBODY AS SKINNY AS THIS FELLER DON'T NEED NO BUNK! HE CAN BED DOWN BETWEEN THE CRACKS IN THE FLOOR!

THE NEW HAND TURNED BEET-RED BUT HE GRINNED AT BULL McLEOD'S JIBE AS DID EVERYONE ELSE, EXCEPT THE FOREMAN...

SON, IF BULL OR ANYBODY ELSE HERE GIVES YUH ANY TROUBLE, DON'T BE SHY 'BOUT TELLIN' ME!

I RECKON I CAN TAKE CARE OF MYSELF, MISTER DIXON!

MY HANDLE'S BENSON... SHORTY, THEY CALL ME! THIS WAS MATT'S BUNK, JEB! GLAD T' HAVE YOU JOIN THE OUTFIT!

THANKS, SHORTY! I'M GOIN' TO LIKE WORKIN' HERE! SURE ARE A NICE BUNCH OF FELLERS!

GET THAT JUNK OFF THERE! THAT'S **MY** BUNK!

MOST OF 'EM ARE NICE FELLERS, JEB! BULL, YOU KNOW THE BUNK YOU'RE ON RIGHT NOW IS YOUR'N!

YOU CALLIN' ME A LIAR, SHORTY? IF SLIM DON'T GET HIS RUBBISH OFF'N MY BUNK RIGHT QUICK, THERE'S GONNA BE TROUBLE, SEE?

IT'S ALL RIGHT, SHORTY! ONE BUNK'S THE SAME AS ANOTHER TO ME!

JEB BANCROFT TOOK BULL McLEOD'S BULLYING WITH EASY-GOING GOOD NATURE! BUT BULL HAD NO INTENTION OF LETTING THE NEW MAN OFF WITHOUT LEARNING WHO WAS BOSS OF THE BUNKHOUSE, AND NEXT MORNING...

BANCROFT, I THOUGHT YOU TOLD JAKE YOU COULD TAKE CARE OF YOURSELF! BY GOLLY, I DON'T THINK YOU EVEN KNOW HOW TO GET YOUR OWN PANTS ON!

BULL, ONE OF THESE DAYS YOU'RE GOIN' TO PICK ON THE WRONG MAN!

THE HEFTY WRANGLER JUST WOULDN'T LET UP ON THE QUIET COWPOKE...

BULL, YOU ALREADY HAD YOUR STACK! THEM WHEATCAKES ARE JEB'S!

MEBBE YOU'D LIKE TO TAKE 'EM FROM ME AND GIVE 'EM TO HIM!

NOW, LANK, YOU CAN SEE I AIN'T MUCH FOR BIG EATIN'! SO THERE'S NO GETTIN' INTO A FIGHT ON MY ACCOUNT!

THERE, NOW AIN'T THAT NICE! JEB BANCROFT LIKES THINGS PEACEABLE... NO NASTY FIGHTIN'...

EVEN ON THE RANGE, BULL McLEOD RODE HERD ON JEB! IT WENT ON THAT WAY FOR DAYS...

BANCROFT! I TOLD YOU TO COVER THOSE STEERS FROM THE WEST!

JAKE SAID I WAS TO STAY HERE, AND HIM BEIN' FOREMAN, I DID LIKE HE TOLD ME!

THAT WAS YESTERDAY, BANCROFT! I TAKE CHARGE WHEN JAKE AIN'T AROUND! YOU DO LIKE I SAY, AND DON'T GO TRYIN' TO MAKE A FOOL OUT OF ME!

BULL McLEOD, I DON'T RECKON I COULD MAKE A FOOL OUT OF YOU! YOU MUST'VE BEEN BORN THAT WAY!

THE RAUCOUS LAUGHTER OF THE COWHANDS TOLD BULL HE'D LOST THE BATTLE OF WORDS WITH JEB! NOW HE'D BATTLE THE WAY HE KNEW BEST...

GET DOWN OFF THAT UGLY CAYUSE, WEASEL!

McLEOD, I WOULDN'T PULL MY VEST IF I WAS YOU!

JEB SLIPPED OUT OF HIS VEST AS BULL YANKED MIGHTILY.

I TOLD YOU NOT TO DO IT, BULL!

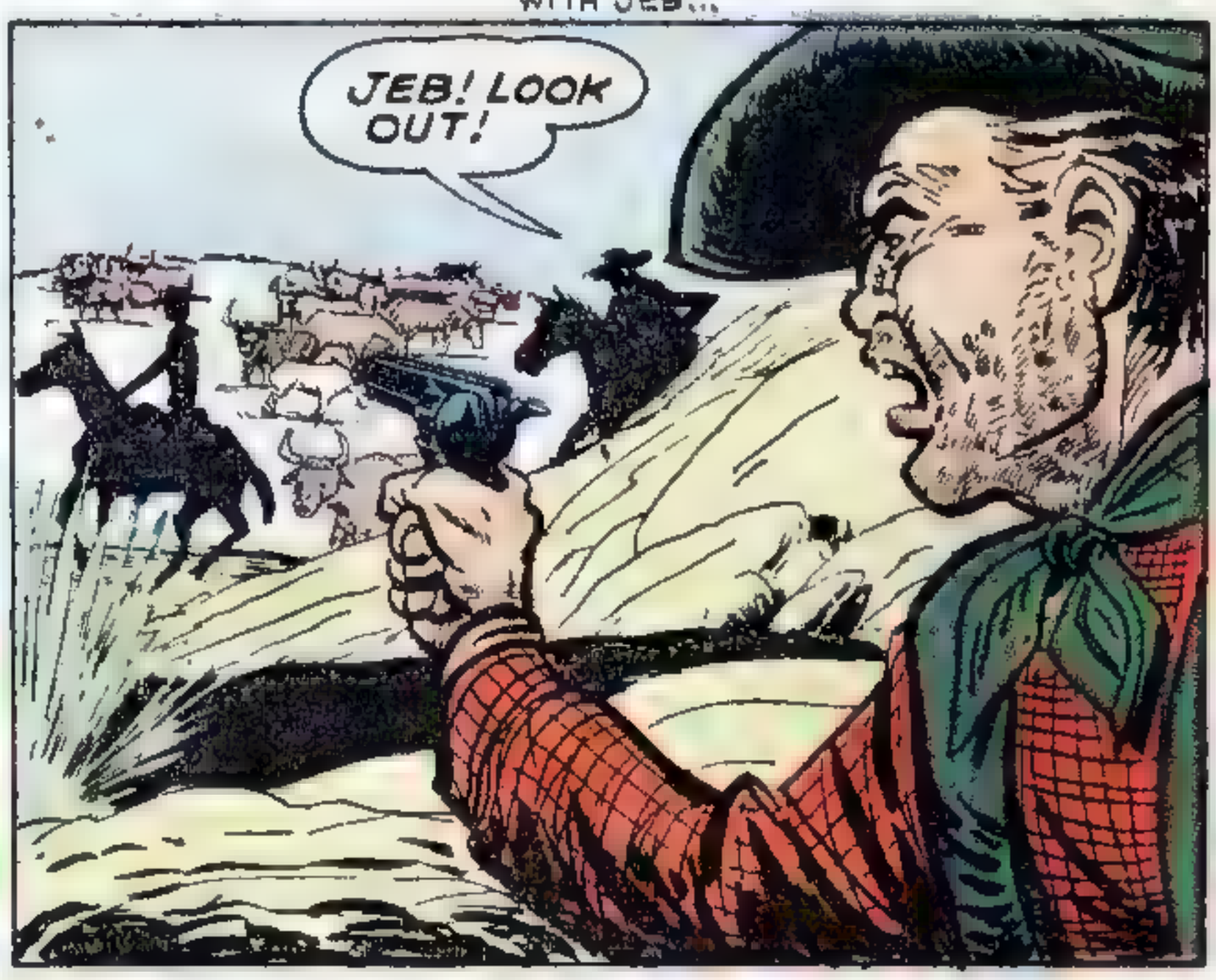
MISTER, THAT'S GOIN' TO GET YOU THE BEATIN' OF YOUR LIFE!

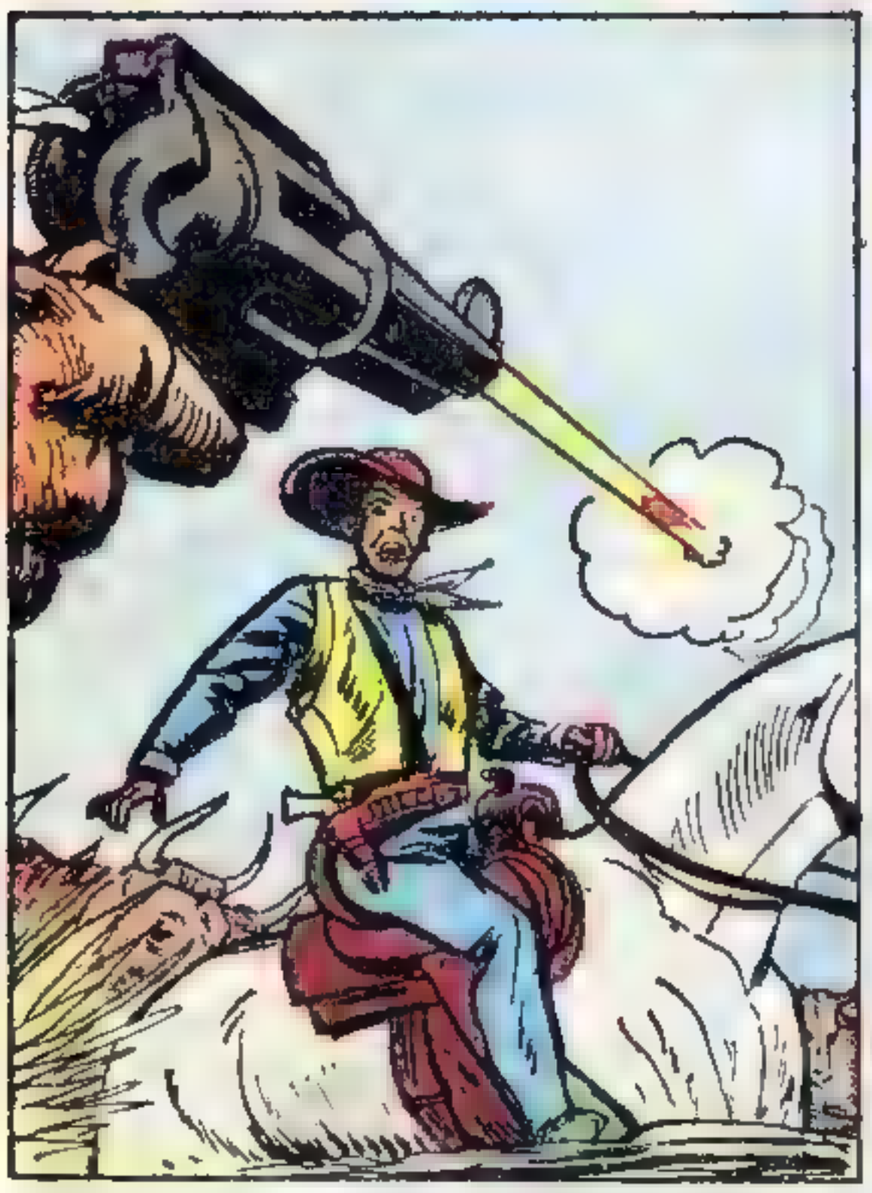
I BEEN TAKIN' A LOT FROM YOU, McLEOD! IT DIDN'T SEEM RIGHT FOR A NEW HAND TO SCRAP HIS FIRST DAYS ON A JOB! BUT IT'S TIME WE HAD AN UNDERSTANDING!

THE OTHER COWPOKES WERE ASTONISHED AT HOW FAST THE BULLYING WRANGLER QUIT THE FIGHT...

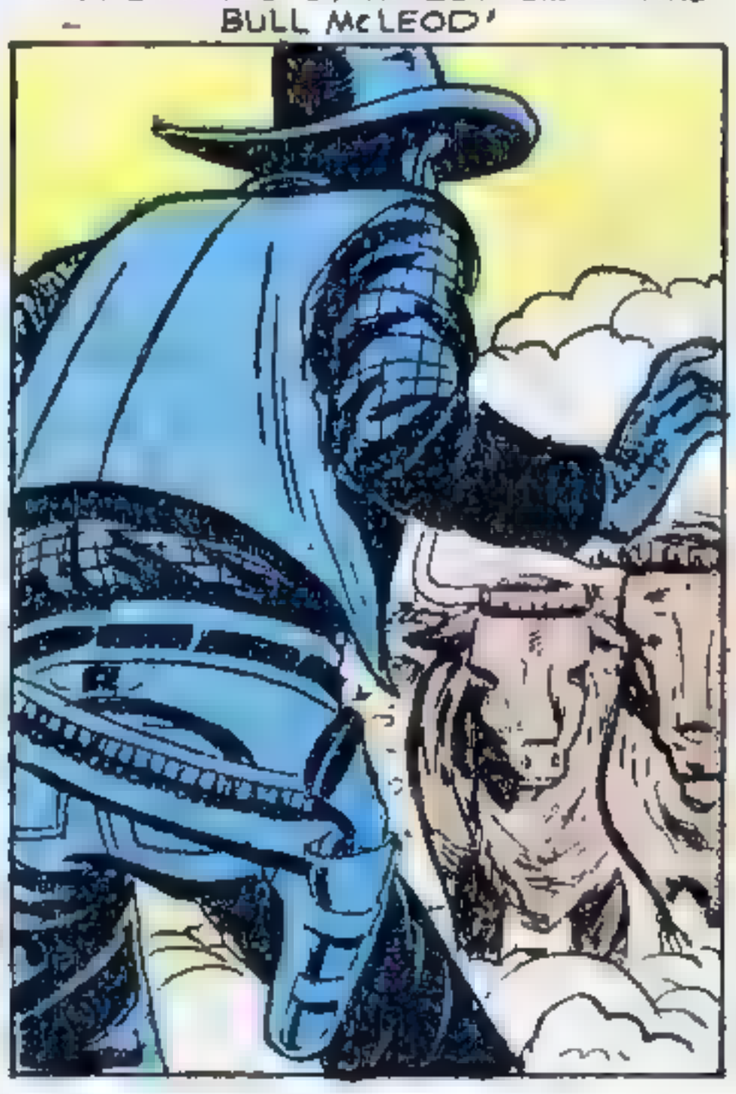
I'M GOIN' TO GET BANCROFT FOR THAT!
EASY, BULL! DON'T TRY NOTHIN' LIKE THAT WITH ALL THESE FELLERS AROUND TO BEAR WITNESS AGIN' YOU

BULL McLEOD SEETHED WITH INWARD RAGE, AND JUST A FEW DAYS LATER SAW HIS CHANCE TO GET REVENGE! HE THOUGHT HE WAS ALONE WITH JEB...

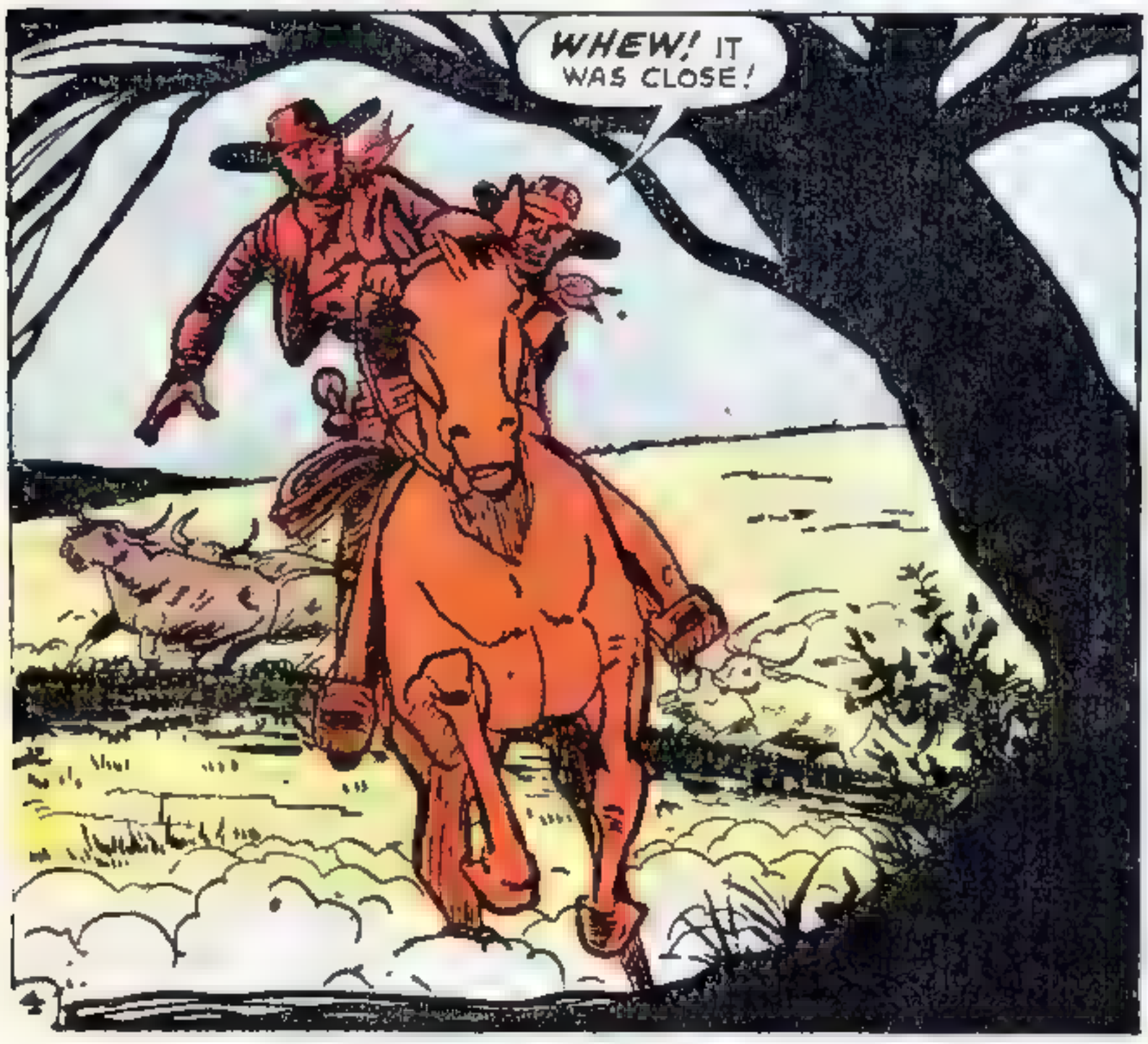




THE SHOT STARTLED THE GRAZING CATTLE! WILD-EYED WITH FRIGHT, THEY STARTED STAMPEDING...TOWARD BULL McLEOD!



THE GROUND SHOOK WITH THE RUMBLE OF HOOFS! BULL SEEMED DONE FOR...



AND BEGINNING THAT SAME AFTERNOON, BULL McLEOD WAS A CHANGED MAN...

I KNOW WHEN I'VE MET A BETTER MAN! LET ME TELL YOU GENTS SOMETHIN'! ANYBODY HERE EVER TRIES HURTIN' MY FRIEND JEB BANCROFT IS GOIN' TO HAVE TO ANSWER TO ME FOR IT!
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man would propose to invite a touring circus to visit King City on its wide swing around the country. Then, Dad thundered his opposition.

"Those sideshow spellbinders have no right in a decent town," Dad would argue. "Those swindlers specialize in deceit and delusion. They don't know how to earn a dollar by honest sweat and toil."

When someone countered that every kid loved the circus for the comical clowns, cotton candy and rare animal acts, Dad choked up at the memory of his son's words. But he usually retorted that the circus only represented a collection of chills and thrills, and in the end, Dad's will prevailed. As the most influential man in the area, his words carried power few cared to oppose. For over six years, no circus troupe set foot in King City.

One day, however, Dad was forced to make a painful decision. The council had pleaded anew to allow the Jingle Brothers Circus to set up its tents in King City. "The Jingle Brothers are world renowned, one member advanced. "They can't be classified as a cheap sideshow outfit. And some sick children in our hospital have been pleading to see the circus . . . particularly the new Wild West show the whole country has been raving about. The doctors say that it's the best possible medicine for them. It's up to you, Dad, to grant those kids and the whole town a grand time. Would you stand in the way of their pleasure?"

Dad was sorely tried. He was not a malicious man, and he didn't want to deny the children their pleasure. Moreover, he knew that he could not condemn the Jingle Brothers show, despite the hurt in his heart. Finally, he gave his reluctant approval and the circus arrived at King City.

Day after day, he heard enthusiastic reports of the circus from his hired hands, but he never went to the circus himself, On the week end, however, when he went into town for supplies, he met Luke Brent, president of the town council.

"You ought to see the circus, Dad," Luke enthused. "It's the greatest show I've ever seen, and the whole town is talking about it. They've got a rodeo act, too, that beats everything. They've got a bucko who'll outride, outrope and outshoot any cowhand in the county. They've staged bulldogging and bronco-busting contests, and this waddy walks away with top honors every time. You've never seen such a crew of crestfallen cowboys as our local boys after they've been beaten by this circus man. You ought to catch his act."

"Maybe I will," Dad answered. "I've always respected a man who could really ride, rope and shoot straight. It's hard to believe this man is so good."

"Well, why don't you check for yourself. Hop over to the circus now. That man'll be practicing his shooting at a target in the center ring. He attracts quite a crowd every day."

Dad couldn't conquer his curiosity, so he headed for the tent show site at the edge of town. There were no crowds, despite Luke's words, and nobody blocked his way to the center ring. Then, he stood stock still and stared at the lithe figure firing in the ring. Finally, he walked down the aisle and confronted the circus champ.

"So the circus wonderman is my own son," Dad said in amazement. "That's why Luke was so anxious to get me here. Everyone raves about your performance. You're the top talent and attraction in the whole circus. You must have learned an awful lot in a short time."

"Actually, I owe all my success to *you*," Lex replied modestly. "It was you who taught me all that I know. I just whipped it into a circus act, but it was your training that made it possible. I love what I'm doing, and at the same time I'm selling a bit of the real West to the whole world while we're on tour. I've tried to combine both our dreams, and I hope I haven't disappointed you too much."

"I've been the only real disappointment, son," Dad said huskily, grasping Lex by the shoulder. "It took me too long to realize what a stubborn old man I am and that I had a real reason to be proud of my son!"

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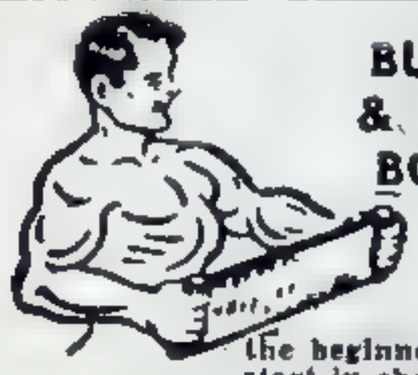

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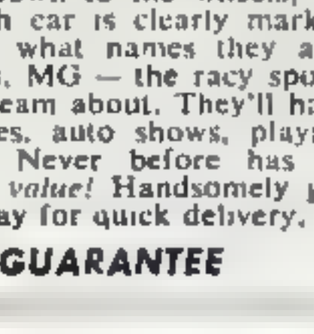

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WEBB! TURN AROUND, REAL SLOW, AND RAISE YOUR HANDS!

Stan Lee

HE TURNED ALL RIGHT ... BUT NOT SLOW ... AND NOT RAISING HIS HANDS!

YUH'LL *NEVER* TAKE ME *ALIVE*, EARP!

THE MAN WHO *OUTSMARTED* EARP!

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I HATE TO MAKE A LIAR OUTTA YUH IN PUBLIC, WEBB, BUT I'M *GONNA* TAKE YUH — *AND ALIVE!*

DOG

IT WAS A NICE TRY, BUT THAT BEARD WOULDN'T FOOL ME FOR A MINUTE!

HOW'D YUH RECOGNIZE ME, MARSHAL? NO ONE *ELSE* DID!

YUH MIGHT DISGUISE YORE FACE, BUT I COULD SPOT THAT LOPIN' *WALK* OF YOURS A MILE AWAY!

GOOD WORK, MARSHAL! LUCKY THING YUH OUT-SMARTED HIM!

SOME DAY THERE'LL BE AN HOMBRE EARP *CAN'T* OUT-SMART, AND THEN.... *LOOK OUT!*

HOW ABOUT THAT, MARSHAL? WHAT HAPPENS THE DAY SOME OWLHOOT COMES ALONG WHO CAN OUT-THINK *YOU?*

DON'T RECKON IT'LL HAPPEN, AMIGO! IF ANY HOMBRE HAS THE BRAINS TO OUT-SMART A LAWMAN, THEN HE'D BE TOO SMART TO BE AN OUTLAW IN THE *FIRST* PLACE!

IF'N THAT AIN'T THE GOSPEL TRUTH!

I PLUMB FORGOT ABOUT THE PAT LITTLE REMARK I HAD MADE IN THE NEXT FEW MINUTES.... BECAUSE THAT'S WHEN THINGS *REALLY* BEGAN TO HAPPEN....

MARSHAL! MARSHAL! I WUZ RIDIN' INTO TOWN...! I SAW THE STAGE TEN MILES EAST OF HERE...! IT WAS ON FIRE...! A BAND OF APACHES WAS ATTACKIN' IT!

APACHES!

I WANT EVERY ABLE-BODIED MAN TO MOUNT UP! FOLLOW *ME!*

A POSSE! YAAHOOO!

IT WORKED! THERE THEY GO LIKE A PACK OF JITTERY RABBITS! I GOT THE WHOLE BLAMED TOWN TO MUHSELF!

AND THE BOYS UP NORTH USED TO SAY *NOBODY* COULD TAKE THE BANK IN EARP'S TOWN! WAIT'LL I TELL 'EM ABOUT *THIS*!

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WELL, WELL, SO THEY LEFT *YOU* BEHIND, EH, OLD TIMER! WELL, JUST DO AS YOU'RE TOLD AND MEBBE YUH WON'T GIT HURT! OPEN THAT SAFE!

OPEN IT, I SAY!

NOT SUSPECTING WHAT WAS TAKING PLACE BACK IN DODGE, I LED THE POSSE AT BREAKNECK SPEED ALONG THE WINDING TRAIL OUT OF TOWN ....

LUCKY THAT STRANGER GAVE THE ALARM ... HOPE WE'RE NOT TOO LATE!

WHERE *IS* THE STRANGER?

MUSTA BEEN PLUMB TUCKERED OUT! RECKON HE'S RESTIN' BACK IN TOWN!

BUT WHEN WE REACHED THE SPOT THAT HAD BEEN DESCRIBED TO US ... THERE WAS NOTHING TO BE SEEN!

LOOK! THIS ROAD HASN'T BEEN USED! NO TRACKS! THE STAGE HASN'T EVEN *PASSED* YET!

THE STRANGER MUSTA BEEN LYIN'! BUT *WHY?*

I RECKON WE'LL JUST GO BACK TO DODGE AND FIND OUT!

AS WE HEADED BACK TO DODGE, SOMETHING WAS GNAWIN' AT MY BRAIN... I HAD A *FEELIN'* ABOUT THAT STRANGER!

NO HOMBRE GIVES A FALSE ALARM UNLESS HE'S LOCO... OR UNLESS HE'S GOT A REASON!

THAT JASPER DIDN'T LOOK LOCO! SO HE MUSTA HAD A REASON! WHAT COULD THE REASON HAVE BEEN?

AND THEN IT HIT ME! I KNEW WHAT HAD TO BE DONE!

YOU BOYS RIDE ON BACK TO TOWN! I GOT SOMETHIN' *ELSE* TO DO!

WHERE YUH GOIN', MARSHAL?

DON'T ASK QUESTIONS, SAM! THE MARSHAL ALWAYS KNOWS WHAT HE'S DOIN'!

NOT MORE THAN A FEW HOURS LATER, A SMUG, SELF-SATISFIED STRANGER WAS RACING OUT OF DODGE, ALONG THE *OTHER* ROAD FROM TOWN...

IT WORKED LIKE A CHARM! I DIDN'T EVEN HAVE TO FIRE A SHOT! WHEN NEWS OF THIS GETS AROUND, EARP'LL BE TOO EMBARRASSED TO SHOW HIS FACE!

A SHOT! WHO'S THAT?

IT'S MARSHAL EARP! STOP WHERE YUH ARE!

THE MARSHAL!

YUH CAN'T SHOOT STRAIGHT WITH A .45 FROM THAT DISTANCE! BUT I **WON'T** MISS WITH THIS REMINGTON!

THIS IS THE ***SECOND*** TIME YUH GUESSED WRONG TODAY, MISTER!

NOW TURN AROUND AND HEAD BACK TO DODGE! YOU'RE GONNA BE THE GUEST OF THE TOWN FOR A LONG SPELL... IN OUR JAIL!

HOW DID YUH ***KNOW***, MARSHAL? WHAT DID I DO WRONG?

IT WASN'T HARD TO FIGURE OUT! IF YUH TRIED TO GET ALL THE ABLE-BODIED MEN OUT OF TOWN, IT MUST HAVE BEEN SO YOU COULD HAVE THE TOWN TO YOURSELF! AND IT WASN'T HARD TO GUESS WHY YOU'D ***WANT*** THE TOWN TO YOURSELF!

I GUESS YOU'RE LOTS SMARTER THAN I RECKONED YUH WERE, EARP!

WHEN WILL YOU OWLHOOTS EVER LEARN THAT A LAWMAN DOESN'T ***HAVE*** TO BE ***LOTS*** SMARTER! ANY HOMBRE WHO TRIES TO BUCK THE LAW HAS THE WHOLE DECK STACKED AGAINST HIM! HE HASN'T A CHANCE!

BY THE TIME I GOT BACK THE DAY WAS NEARLY OVER! I WAS TIRED, HUNGRY, AND THIRSTY! MY LEGS ACHED FROM THE LONG HOURS IN THE SADDLE AND MY SKIN WAS SORE FROM THE DUST AND THE SUN! BUT I RECKONED I HAD EARNED MY PAY! LEAST-WAYS, UNTIL I HEARD SOME HOMBRE WHO WAS PASSIN' THROUGH TOWN, REMARK...

EARP'S GOT IT PRETTY SOFT, DEAR! NOTHING TO DO BUT ARREST PEOPLE! AND EVERYONE THINKS HE'S A HERO! I'VE A NOTION TO BECOME A MARSHAL ***MYSELF!***

A SENSITIVE MAN LIKE YOU COULDN'T STAND IT, CLARENCE! THE JOB ***MUST*** BE TOO BORING!

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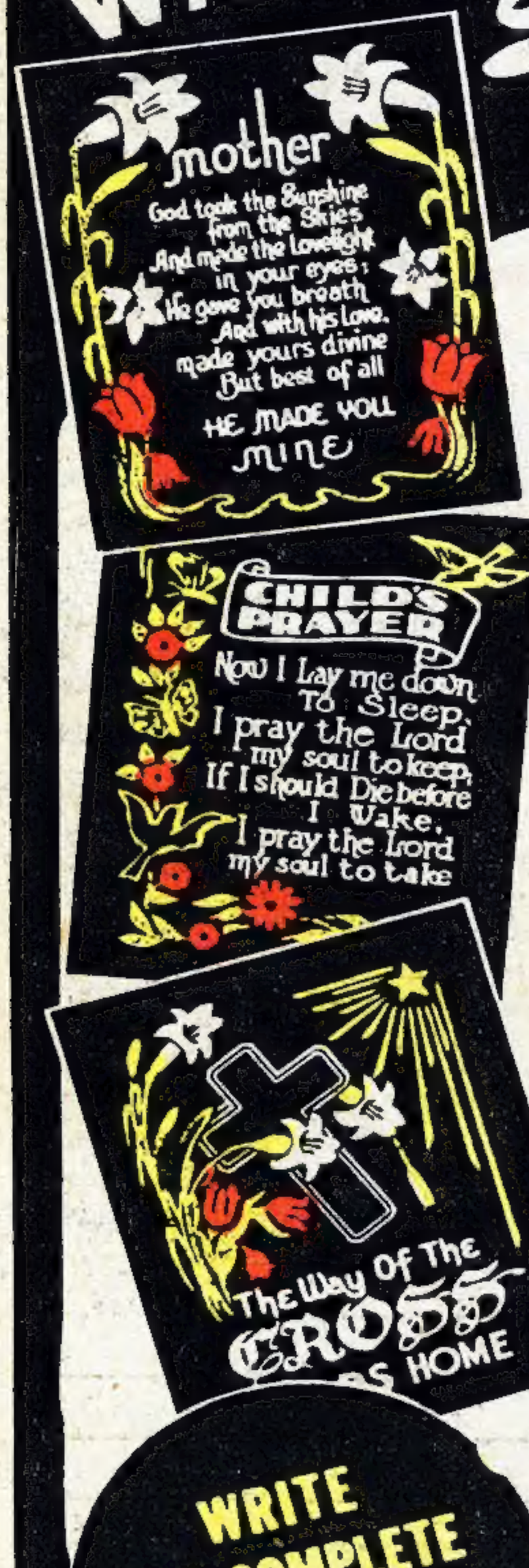
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made yours divine
But best of all
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MINE
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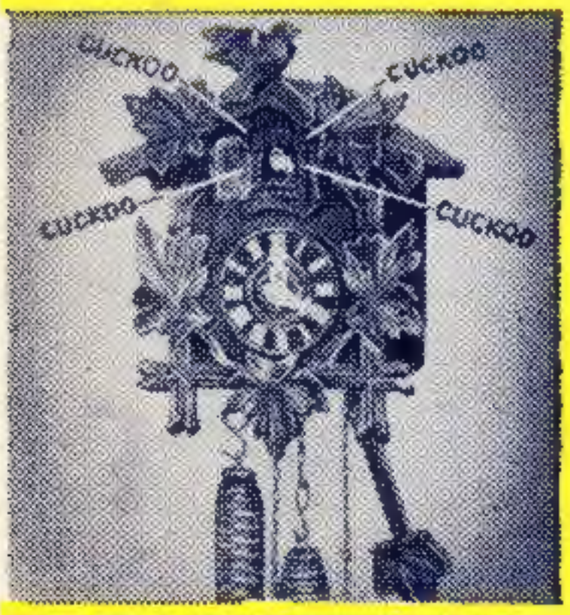

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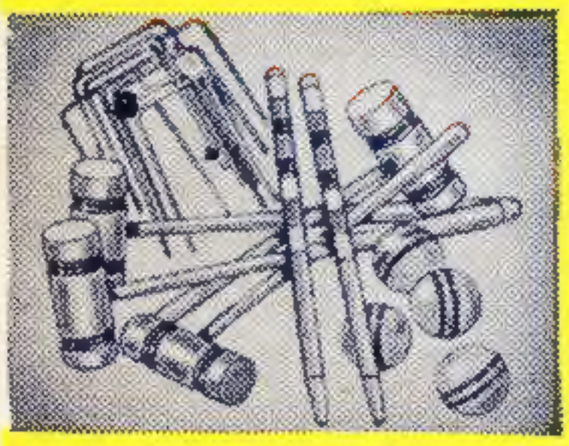

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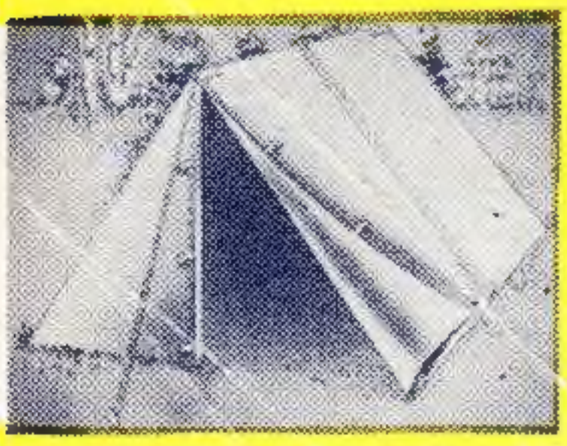

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